



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Carlucci, Vito J.
Serial No.: 10/757,374
For: HAIR DRYER WITH INFRARED SOURCE
Filed: January 14, 2004
Examiner: Gravini, Stephen M.
Art Unit: 3749
Confirmation No.: 3611
Customer No.: 27,623

Attorney Docket No.: 884.0217USU

**Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated September 15, 2004 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|-------|---|------------------|------------|---------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest Number Previously Paid | Present Extra | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 21 | Minus | 20 | 1 | x \$50.00 | \$50.00 |
| Independent Claims | 3 | Minus | 3 | 0 | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE | | | | x \$360.00 = \$ | | |
| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES | | | | \$50.00 | | |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY | | | | \$N/A | | |

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00 .

 A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$50.00 (total fee for claim changes) and any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 50-1239**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

December 15, 2004

Date



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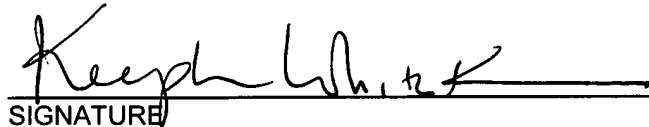
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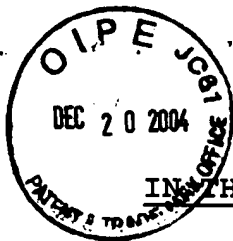
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2004, please amend the above-noted application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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